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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENERGY AGREEMENT: UHV TRANSMISSION: 08.0205

1. THE FOLLOWING IS AN INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF A LETTER DATED DECEMBER 27 FROM V.S. RASHKES, WORKING GROUP ON MEASUREMENT OF SWITCHING OF OVERVOLTAGES, TO HAROLD N, SCHERER, AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER SERVICE CORPORATION, 2 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

2. BEGIN QUOTE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF 9 NOVEMBER 1976. FROM THE LETTER IT IS CLEAR THAT IT IS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT JOINT MEASUREMENTS IN 1977. THUS I JOIN IN YOUR SUGGESTION TO DISCUSS DURING THE NEXT MEETING OF THE U.S./SOVIET COMMITTEE THE PROSPECTS FOR CARRYING OUT SUCH MEASUREMENTS AT LATER PERIODS. THE PRESENCE OF YOU AND THE MEMBERS OF YOUR GROUP AT THE 1977 SYMPOSIUM WILL ALLOW US TO REVIEW THIS QUESTION IN SUFFICIENT DETAIL, INCLUDING THE LENGTHS AND TECHNICAL PROGRAM OF SUCH MEASUREMENTS. I WILL BE VERY GRATEFUL IF THE AMERICAN GROUP WOULD STUDY THIS QUESTION IN THE TIME REMAINING BEFORE THE SYMPOSIUM, AND FORMULATE AND INFORM ME OF ITS SUGGESTIONS FOR 1978/1979.

3. I ATTACH A LIST PREPARED BY THE SOVIET WORKING GROUP OF FUNDAMENTAL SOVIET PUBLICATIONS ON THE MEASUREMENT OF SWITCHING OVERVOLTAGES IN UHV NETWORKS (1959-1975).

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4. IN ACCORDANCE WITH OUR AGREEMENT THE SOVIET SIDE WILL PRESENT IN THE 1977 SYMPOSIUM A REPORT ON "THE MEASUREMENT OF INTERNAL OVERVOLTAGES IN SOVIET UHV ELECTRIC POWER TRANSMISSION. (AUTHORS- WORKING GROUP MEMBERS V.S. RASHKIS, K.I. KYZ'MICHEVA AND K.V. KHOETSIAN.) THE SUGGESTED LENGTH OF THE REPORT IS ONE TO ONE-AND-A-HALF PRINTERS' PAGES (ABOUT 20 TYPEWRITTEN PAGES). THE OUTLINE OF THE REPORT IS INCLUDED. WE WILL START WORK ON THE

REPORT IN FEBRUARY 1977. I HOPE TO RECEIVE FROM YOU SHORTLY A
BIBLIOGRAPHY OF AMERICAN WORKS ON THE MEASUREMENT OF SWITCHING
OVERVOLTAGES IN UHV NETWORKS AND A PARALLEL PLAN OF THE AMERICAN
REPORT FOR THE 1977 SYMPOSIUM.

5. IN CLOSING I TAKE THE OCCASION TO SEND YOU, MR. SCHERER, AND THE
MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN GROUP, MESSRS. BINGHAM, EDWARDS, RAMBERG
AND YANG, BEST WISHES FOR 1977. END QUOTE.

6. ORIGINAL LETTER AND ATTACHED LIST ON SOVIET PUBLICATIONS IS
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